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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: WOOD et al.  
Serial No.: 10/672,297  
Filed: 09/25/2003  
Confirmation No.: 4458

Examiner: OLGA ASINOVSKY  
Group Art Unit: 1711  
Docket: 11816.56USU1

Title: GRAFTED CYCLODEXTRIN

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Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ Transmittal Sheet in duplicate containing Certificate of Mailing
- ☒ Amendment After Interview, 1 Replacement Sheet, 1 Annotated Sheet Showing Changes and 3 Sheets of Photomicrographs
- ☒ Return postcard

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AMENDMENT AFTER INTERVIEW

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Interview on 10 April 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification:** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings:** begin on page 5 of this paper and includes both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.